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Resurfacing, Pedestrian Improvements on Chicago Street from Interstate 80 to Washington Street

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) announced that daytime lane closures will take place on Chicago Street (Illinois 53) between Interstate 80 and Washington Street, in Joliet, beginning, weather permitting, Wednesday, July 19. The closures are necessary for a resurfacing and pedestrian improvement project along Chicago Street.

In order to complete the work, daytime lane closures will take place in both directions on Chicago Street between Interstate 80 and Washington Street. One lane will remain open in each direction while construction activities are taking place.

The scope of the project includes roadway resurfacing, pavement patching and sidewalk upgrades including new pedestrian signals. The overall improvements will enhance mobility, accessibility and safety along Chicago Street.

The project is expected to be completed in Fall 2017.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

Click [here](#) to find details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at www.travelmidwest.com

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